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PART IV.

OFFICIAL PAPERS.

Season Report for the Week ending with the 28th Saturday in 1909 (10th July 1909).

	District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 A. M. on Saturday								Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains			
		This week		Last ten years' average for the corresponding week		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1909							
						This year		Average of past ten years		Excess (+) or defect (—) of column 4 compared with column 5			
	1	2		3		4		5		6		7	
		I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		
BANGALORE.	Bangalore C. & M. Station ...	...	30	...	...	13	6	...	...	...	...		
	„ City & Taluk ...	...	27	1	52	13	21	12	38	+ 0	83		
	Hoskote ...	...	41	...	96	11	92	10	38	+ 1	54		
	Dodballapur ...	...	17	...	88	10	91	10	44	+ 0	47	Rice, 2nd sort.	
	Nelamangala ...	...	21	...	90	12	34	9	27	+ 3	7		
	Kankanhalli. ...	...	12	1	15	9	27	12	87	— 3	60	Ragi	
	Magadi ...	...	85	...	89	8	60	9	47	— 0	87	Kulthi	
	Channapatna ...	...	13	...	89	10	74	11	60	— 0	86	Kadale	
	Anekal ...	...	42	1	62	11	11	13	51	— 2	40		
	Devanhalli ...	...	14	1	2	8	72	11	55	— 2	83		
	Closepet ...	...	30	...	88	9	46	12	31	— 2	85		
	District average...	...	30	1	7	10	63	11	38	— 1	75		
KOLAR.	Kolar ...	...	24	...	56	13	27	7	70	+ 5	57		
	Bowringpet ...	...	22	...	76	13	...	8	52	+ 4	48		
	Chintamani ...	...	65	1	28	10	41	8	47	+ 1	94		
	Mulbagal ...	...	...	...	97	11	92	8	98	+ 2	94	Rice, 2nd sort.	
	Sidlaghatta ...	...	85	...	86	12	94	8	83	+ 4	11		
	Chikballapur ...	1	5	...	79	9	95	11	35	— 1	40	Ragi	
	Bagepalli ...	...	...	...	61	5	90	6	40	— 0	50	Kulthi	
	Goribidnur ...	...	47	...	94	11	79	8	2	+ 3	77	Kadale	
	Malur ...	...	5	...	59	10	80	9	10	+ 1	70		
	Srinivaspur ...	...	45	1	16	12	72	9	12	+ 3	60		
	Gudibanda ...	...	27	1	22	11	72	10	9	+ 1	63		
	District average...	...	39	...	89	11	31	8	78	+ 2	53		
TUMKUR.	Tumkur ...	...	85	...	89	8	95	9	22	— 0	27		
	Maddagiri ...	1	38	...	71	11	75	7	35	+ 4	40		
	Chiknayakanhalli ...	...	92	...	74	10	97	8	75	+ 2	22		
	Sira ...	...	30	...	81	10	8	6	30	+ 3	78	Rice, 2nd sort.	
	Gubbi ...	...	76	...	73	13	60	8	46	+ 5	14		
	Tiptur ...	...	...	...	53	8	86	8	16	+ 0	70	Ragi	
	Pavagada ...	...	82	...	64	7	55	6	4	+ 1	51	Kulthi	
	Kunigal ...	...	20	...	64	9	...	8	33	+ 0	67	Kadale	
	Koratagere ...	...	43	1	16	11	50	8	7	+ 3	43		
	Turuvekere ...	...	...	...	62	11	48	8	4	+ 3	44		
	District average...	...	57	...	75	10	37	7	87	+ 2	50		

	This week-	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average.
	Seers	Seers	Seers
	Rangoon		
Rice, 2nd sort.	8·00	8·00	9·05
	Rangoon		
Ragi	11·25	11·25	18·91
Kulthi	8·25	8·25	...
Kadale	8·00	8·00	9·58
Rice, 2nd sort.	6·00	6·00	8·77
Ragi	11·00	11·00	20·40
Kulthi	8·50	8·50	...
Kadale	8·00	8·00	9·05
Rice, 2nd sort.	6·75	6·75	9·02
Ragi	10·50	10·50	21·20
Kulthi	8·00	8·00	...
Kadale	6·75	6·75	9·12

District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 A. M. on Saturday: This week	Last ten years' average for the corresponding week	Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1909: This year	Average of past ten years	Excess (+) or defect (—) of column 4 compared with column 5	Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains	This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7			
	I. c.	I. c.	I. c.	I. c.	I. c.		Seers	Seers	Seers
MYSORE.									
Mysore ...	... 7	... 19	16 93	11 99	+ 4 94				
Chamrajnagar ...	... 18	... 27	12 65	10 90	+ 1 75				
Seringapatam ...	... ...	... 34	18 8	9 46	+ 8 62	Rice, 2nd sort.	6·75	6·75	9·56
Hunsur ...	... 82	... 59	16 91	11 48	+ 5 43				
Yedatore ...	... 10	... 18	11 84	11 33	+ 0 51	Ragi	11·00	11·00	18·51
Heggaddevankote ...	... 80	1 23	20 64	14 29	+ 6 35	Kulthi	9·00	9·00	...
Gundlupet ...	... 15	... 6	14 33	9 58	+ 4 75	Kadale	7·00	7·00	10·30
Nanjangud ...	... 43	... 33	12 52	10 92	+ 1 60				
T.-Narsipur ...	... ...	... 23	9 69	10 66	— 0 97				
Malvalli ...	... 25	... 16	12 93	8 53	+ 4 40				
Mandya ...	... 5	... 33	18 20	10 19	+ 8 11				
Krishnarajpete ...	... ...	... 45	13 42	10 31	+ 3 11				
Nagamangala ...	... 11	... 50	12 69	8 82	+ 3 87				
District average...	... 23	... 37	14 68	10 65	+ 4 3				
HASSAN.									
Hassan ...	1 47	1 18	14 74	12 91	+ 1 83				
Manjarabad (Saklespur)	5 45	6 45	37 95	35 12	+ 2 83	Rice, 2nd sort.	7·00	7·00	9·60
Arkalgud ...	1 84	1 48	13 84	13 70	+ 0 14				
Belur ...	1 84	1 88	21 22	15 92	+ 5 30	Ragi	12·00	12·00	21·17
Channarayapatna ...	... 55	... 33	14 69	8 39	+ 6 30	Kulthi	8·00	8·00	...
Arsikere ...	... 3	... 24	13 60	8 15	+ 5 45	Kadale	6·50	6·50	9·25
Hole-Narsipur ...	... 73	... 50	11 48	11 40	+ 0 8				
Alur ...	1 6	2 1	19 96	16 71	+ 3 25				
District average...	1 62	1 76	18 43	15 29	+ 3 14				
SHIMOGA.									
Shimoga ...	3 32	9 98	25 71	21 13	+ 4 58				
Channagiri ...	1 27	... 93	12 58	9 83	+ 2 75	Rice, 2nd sort.	7·50	7·50	10·58
Honnali ...	1 94	... 64	13 41	9 32	+ 4 9				
Shikarpur ...	4 21	2 45	35 98	14 16	+21 82	Ragi	12·00	11·50	24·39
Sorab ...	8 80	5 19	44 24	21 93	+22 31	Kulthi	8·75	8·00	...
Sagar ...	46 70	6 98	164 32	31 87	+132 45				
Nagar (Kallurkatte)...	25 24	10 75	116 50	46 2	+70 48				
Tirthahalli ...	19 42	9 65	140 69	45 78	+94 91				
Kumsi ...	5 26	2 55	38 26	16 26	+22 ...				
District average...	12 91	5 46	65 74	24 3	+41 71				
KADUR.									
Chikmagalur ...	... 74	1 18	22 61	14 21	+ 8 40				
Kadur ...	... 59	... 52	13 46	8 1	+ 5 45	Rice, 2nd sort.	8·00	7·50	9·20
Tarikere ...	1 73	1 64	12 89	11 91	+ 0 98				
Koppa ...	8 97	10 56	44 14	41 32	+ 2 82	Ragi	11·00	11·00	21·30
Mudgere ...	7 9	7 35	46 68	35 96	+10 72	Kulthi	7·50	7·50	...
Yedahalli ...	5 63	5 12	33 8	23 77	+ 9 31	Kadale	7·00	7·50	9·20
Sringeri ...	11 50	12 21	60 51	52 82	+ 7 69				
District average...	5 18	5 21	33 34	26 86	+ 6 48				
CHITALDRUG.									
Chitaldrug ...	... 43	... 50	9 57	7 64	+ 1 93				
Challakere ...	... 14	... 13	5 9	5 3	+ 0 6	Rice, 2nd sort.	7·00	7·00	9·70
Hiriyur ...	... 20	... 45	12 56	6 81	+ 5 75				
Holalkere ...	... 59	... 44	10 54	8 58	+ 1 96	Ragi	12·00	12·00	22·10
Davangere ...	1 22	... 54	6 67	9 41	— 2 74	Kulthi	8·00	8·00	...
Molakalmuru ...	... ...	... 67	9 94	7 25	+ 2 69	Kadale	6·00	6·00	9·80
Jagalur ...	... 11	... 54	8 89	8 48	+ 0 41	Cholum	12·00	12·00	20·10
Hosdurga ...	... 91	... 53	11 30	7 ...	+ 4 30				
Harihar ...	... 30	... 60	4 28	7 73	— 3 45				
District average...	... 43	... 49	8 76	7 55	+ 1 21				
Provincial average...	2 71	2 4	21 66	14 5	+ 7 61				

Note.—Rice (husked)—Oryza Sativa.
Ragi—Eleusine Corocana.
Kulthi—(Horse gram) Dolichos Biflorus.
Cholum—Sorghum Vulgare.
Kadale—(Bengal gram) Ciser Arietinum.

DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Public health.

12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

	Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.	*Current.*	
Prices of food grains—Rice ...	7·2	6¼ to 6½	seers per rupee.
Ragi ...	17·7	10¾ to 11	

Rangoon rice, 2nd sort, 7½ seers per rupee.

Agricultural operations.—Ragi and cholum are being sown.

Cattle are in good condition. Water and fodder sufficient.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Market generally well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing is being continued in some places in the Hoskote Nelamangala and Kankanhalli Taluks and in the Closepet Sub-Taluk.

Standing crops.—Sugar-cane is in good condition in the Hoskote, Nelamangala and Magadi Taluks and in moderate condition in the Bangalore and Anekal Taluks. It is withering for want of rain in the Kankanhalli Taluk. Paddy is in good condition in the Hoskote and Nelamangala Taluks and is withering in the Devanhalli Taluk.

Crops sown.—Ragi in some places in the Bangalore, Dodballapur, Nelamangala, Magadi and Devanhalli Taluks and the Closepet Sub-Taluk and punaji paddy in the Magadi Taluk are being sown.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be generally good. Rain is wanted throughout the district.

Number of persons employed in tank and well works.—Two hundred and eighty-three in the Dodballapur Taluk, 30 in the Nelamangala Taluk and 5 in the Devanhalli Taluk.

Prices of food stuffs are high as usual.

11. Except for small-pox in some places in the Hoskote and Anekal Taluks and the Closepet Sub-Taluk and measles in the Hoskote Taluk, public health generally good.

12. Except for "Dod Roga" in some places in the Nelamangala and Anekal Taluks and the Closepet Sub-Taluk and "Neradi Roga" in the Anekal Taluk, cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are moderately available, but it is reported that well water is being used for cattle in the Magadi Taluk.

KOLAR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing is being still continued in almost all parts of the district and lands are being manured and kept ready for sowing.

Standing crops are reported to be in fair condition; but more rain is required for them. "The slight showers have done good to the sugar-cane crop."

Crops sown.—Paddy in parts of the Kolar, Bowringpet and Sidlaghatta Taluks and the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk; ragi in parts of the Goribidnur and Srinivaspur Taluks and the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk; and togari, avare and samè in parts of the Srinivaspur Taluk.

Crops harvested and their outturn.—Vaisakhi paddy in parts of the Goribidnur, yield from 8 to 10 annas; and baragu in parts of the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk, yield 12 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Weather is cloudy and drizzling. Rain is wanted all over the district. Prices of food stuffs continue to be high. Labour is available to the cooly classes.